# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

## **FISCAL NOTE**



## **SB 1055**

March 21, 2013

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires elimination of the temporary assistance payments made pursuant to the Families First program to a parent or caretaker of any child who fails to maintain satisfactory attendance at a secondary school or at any school as may be required under Title 49 until such time as the child again maintains satisfactory attendance.

#### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **NOT SIGNIFICANT**

#### Assumptions:

- Attendance can be confirmed by the Department of Human Services at a given point in time, for instance at an annual review.
- According to the Department of Human Services, the programmatic and operational changes required by the bill, including policy changes, training, notification of clients, and a potential increase in appeals can be accommodated by the existing resources of the Department without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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